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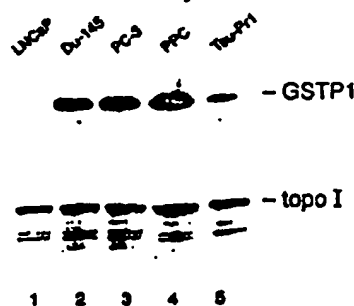
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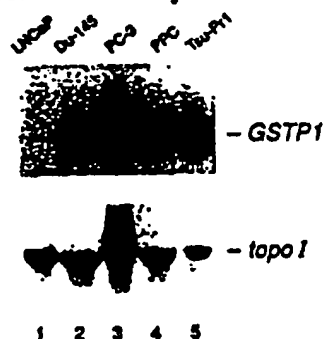
**(57) Abstract**

A method for detecting and a method for treating a cell pro-  
liferative disorder associated with glutathione-S-transferase (GSTP1)  
expression is provided. The method includes direct detection of a  
hypermethylated GSTP1 promoter, or indirect detection of decreased  
GSTP1 mRNA or GSTP1 protein in a suspect tissue sample.

**A. Immunoblot analysis**



**B. Northern blot analysis**



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